Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Aldrew Schochenmaier and Marjorie Jons exchanged their wedding vows on March 31, 1951, in Bonesteel, South Dakota, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, The newlywed couple of 60 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow, and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

Whereas, Aldrew and Marjorie were blessed with 3 children, Michael, Nancy, and Neil, and now have 10 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Aldrew and Marjorie have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, Aldrew and Marjorie will observe their 60th wedding anniversary with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as their friends and relatives gather to honor them on April 2, 2011, to celebrate their lives and the camaraderie of the day; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this special occasion in the lives of these two people who have lived exemplary lives for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 2, 2011, as

ALDREW AND MARJORIE SCHOCHENMAIER DAY

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second Day of March in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State